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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that: my residence, post office and citizenship are as stated below next to my name; that I verily believe the original, first and sole inventor of the subject matter which is claimed which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR A CARRIER RECOVERY

described and claimed in the specification bearing that title, that I understand the content of the specification, that I do not know and do not believe the same is known or used in the United States of America before my or our invention patented or described in any printed publication in any country before the invention thereof or more than one year prior to this application, that the invention has not been in public use or on sale in the United States of America more than one year prior to this application, that the invention has not been patented or made the subject of an inventor's certificate issued before the date of this application in a country foreign to the United States of America on an application filed by me or my legal representatives or assigns more than twelve months prior to this application, and that I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the Office all information known to me or my legal representatives or assigns material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56, and that no application for a patent or inventor's certificate of this invention has been filed earlier in any country foreign to the United States prior to this application.

German Application No. 102 51 176.4, filed October 31, 2002, the priority of which is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119.

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